ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES OFFICE OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION SOCIAL SERVICES BLOCK GRANT COMPREHENSIVE SERVICES PROGRAM PLAN FEBRUARY 15, 2004 UPDATE

SUMMARY

Federal regulations for the Social Services Block Grant (SSBG) require an update of the Comprehensive Services Program Plan (CSPP) to reflect significant changes during the program year. The February 15, 2004 update satisfies the requirement for SFY 2004.

PROPOSED CHANGES

- Changes brought about by Act 1717 of 2003 are incorporated. The Act established the Division of Behavioral Health Services and transferred the Department of Human Services Division of Mental Health Services into the Division. The Act also transferred Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention from the Arkansas Department of Health into the Division.
- Organizational changes within the Department of Human Services are incorporated.
 The Office of Fiscal Management and the Office of Administrative Services are combined into the Office of Finance and Administration.
- Information regarding Service Delivery Areas is revised to delete the statement that Area boundaries correspond to planning boundaries utilized by all divisions and offices with the exception of the Division of Children and Family Services and the Division of Aging and Adult Services. All divisions and offices utilize the Area boundaries for SSBG planning, but some do not utilize the boundaries for other planning.
- Funding for the Division of Behavioral Health Services (Alcohol and Drug Abuse Prevention) is revised.
- Estimates of Clients and Expenditures are revised for the Division of Aging and Adult Services, the Division of Youth Services, the Division of Behavioral Health and the estimates of clients is revised for Arkansas Rehabilitation Services.
- The appendix is revised to reflect the above changes.